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Loan facility to weavers

†770. SHRI ALI ANWAR: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to refer to the answer to Starred Question 481 given in the Rajya Sabha on 19th May, 2007 and state:

(a) the action taken by Government so far providing loans to the weavers living in rural areas at 7 per cent rate of interest as in case of farmers;

(b) the initiatives taken by Government to waive off the loan of weavers in the country which is around Rs. 100-1200 crores; and

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi

(c) by when Government will implement these schemes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN): (a) to (c) A committee headed by Managing Director, National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) was formed by this Ministry to look into the problems of high cost of working capital and choking of credit lines in the handloom sector. The committee prepared a Financial Package in this regard whose proposals, *inter-alia,* include:

(i) Cleansing of the balance sheet of Apex and Primary Weavers Cooperative Societies (viable and potentially viable) with adequate fund support from Government.

(ii) Waiver of overdue interest and overdue loans of Weavers/PWCs/Apex Societies as on 31st March, 2006.

(iii) Financing the credit needs of handloom weavers/societies at 7% rate of interest subvention to NABARD and banks from Government of India.

The above proposals are under consideration of the Government.

Scheme for promotion and development of textile industry

771. SHRI O.T. LEPCHA: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any national programme and scheme for promotion and development of textile industry in the country; and

(b) if so, the details of plans for promotion, development and modernization of textile industry alongwith the financial allocation made by Government during the year 2007-08?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. There are various programmes and schemes being implemented for the promotion, development and modernization of textile industry in the country. The details of schemes/programmes alongwith the financial allocation during the year 2007-08 are given in the Statement.

Statement

The details of schemes/programmes being implemented alongwith the financial allocation during 2007-08

Ongoing schemes/programme of Ministry of Textiles

(Rs. in crore)

Sl .No.	Sector/Schemes and Programmes	Allocation (2007-08)
1	2	3
VSE Sector		
A	**Handloom**	
1	Integrated Handloom Development Scheme	120.00
2	Marketing & Export Promotion Scheme	35.00
3	Handloom Weavers' Comprehensive Welfare Scheme	130.00
4	Miligate Price Scheme	15.00
5	Diversified Handloom Development Scheme	15.00
	Total Handloom	**315.00**